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3. Application information is being ☐ added ☐ deleted ☐ modified:

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Title of Invention:

Docket number assigned to this application:

Suggested Classification: Class:

Subclass:

Technology Center to which subject matter is assigned:

NOTE: "The suggested classification and Technology Center information should be supplied for provisional applications whether or not claims are present. If claims are not present in a provisional application, the suggested classification and Technology Center should be based upon the disclosure." 37 C.F.R. § 1.76(b)(3).

Total number of drawing sheets:

Type of application:

☐ utility☐ application is to be published

Suggested drawing figure for publication: _____

☐ application is not to be published☐ plant☐ Latin names of the genus _____
species _____

of plant being claimed.

☐ design☐ reissue☐ provisional

Secrecy order under § 5.2:

This application

☐ does not disclose☐ discloses a significant part of the

subject matter of an application which is under a secrecy order pursuant to § 5.2.

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4. Representative information is being ☐ added ☐ deleted ☐ modified:

NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.76(b)(4) states: "Representative information. This information includes the registration number of each practitioner having a power of attorney or authorization of agent in the application (preferably by reference to a customer number). Providing this information in the application data sheet does not constitute a power of attorney or authorization of agent in the application (see § 1.34(b))." (Emphasis added).

The following have a power of attorney or authorization of agent in this application:

Name of attorney (agent): _____

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5. Domestic Priority information is being ☐ added ☐ deleted ☐ modified:

NOTE: "Domestic priority information. This information includes the application number, the filing date, the status (including patent number if available), and relationship of each application for which a benefit is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119(e), 120, 121, or 365(c). Providing this information in the application data sheet constitutes the specific reference required by 35 U.S.C. 119(e) or 120, and § 1.78(a)(2) or § 1.78(a)(4), and need not otherwise be made part of the specification." 37 C.F.R. § 1.76(b)(5).

☒ Domestic priority for this application is claimed as follows:

☒ 35 U.S.C. § 119(e): Application No.: 60/172m198

Filed: December 17, 1999

Status: Abandoned

Relationship: Provisional for Non-Provisional

☐ 35 U.S.C. § 120:

Application No.: _____

Filed: _____

Status: _____

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☐ 35 U.S.C. § 121:

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6. Foreign priority information is being ☐ added ☐ deleted ☐ modified:

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☐ Foreign priority is claimed for this application as follows:

Country: _____

Application No.: _____

Filing date: _____

Status: _____

Foreign application having a filing date before that of the above application for which priority is claimed.

☐ None☐ Country: _____

Application No.: _____

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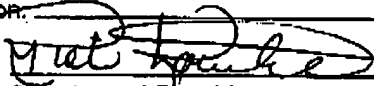
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